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Letter dated 17 September 1999 from the President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chairman of the Sixth Committee

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith the decisions taken by the General Assembly at the 3rd plenary meeting of its fifty-fourth session pertaining to the allocation of items to the Sixth Committee.

I wish to draw your attention to the recommendations on the organization of the session contained in section II of the report of the General Committee (A/54/250). Those recommendations were approved by the General Assembly, also at its 3rd plenary meeting.

May I also draw your attention to paragraph 47 and to the relevant part of paragraph 57 of the report concerning the agenda of the Main Committees.

I earnestly request your cooperation in these matters.

(Signed) Theo-Ben **Gurirab**

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Annex

Allocation of items to the Sixth Committee

1. Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property (item 152).
2. United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law (item 153).
3. United Nations Decade of International Law (item 154):
   (a) United Nations Decade of International Law;

   [The General Assembly, in the light of resolution 53/100 of 8 December 1998, noted that the one-day plenary meeting to mark the end of the United Nations Decade of International Law would be held on 17 November 1999.]

   (b) Outcome of the action dedicated to the 1999 centennial of the first International Peace Conference.
4. Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its fifty-first session (item 155).
5. Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its thirty-second session (item 156).
6. Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country (item 157).

   [The General Assembly decided that, in the light of resolution 53/104 of 8 December 1998, in which the Assembly decided to endorse the recommendation of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country that its membership be increased by four members, including one each from African, Asian, Latin American and Caribbean and Eastern European States, to be chosen by the President of the General Assembly in accordance with resolution 2819 (XXVI) of 15 December 1971, in consultation with the regional groups, and in view of the fact that there remains one appointment to be made from among the Asian States, item 157 would also be considered directly in plenary meeting.]
7. Establishment of an international criminal court (item 158).
8. Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization (item 159).
9. Measures to eliminate international terrorism (item 160).
10. Review of the Statute of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal (item 161).